Introduced by: Gary Grant

Proposed No. 83-165

MOTION NO.5730

A MOTION authorizing the County Executive to enter into a contract with Group W Cable Inc. for a franchise to construct, operate and maintain a cable television system in Council Districts 3 and 6.

WHEREAS, Group W Cable I_{NC} . has received cable television franchise numbers 565A, 591 and 1209 from Clearview Cable Television, and

WHEREAS, the King County Council by motion has approved the transfer of cable television franchise numbers 565A, 591 and 1209 from Clearview Cable Television to Group W Cable Inc. , and

WHEREAS, Group W Cable $_{\rm Inc.}$ must enter into a franchise agreement with King County and by such agreement show its willingness to abide by all requirements originally undertaken by Clearview Cable Television when that organization held franchise numbers 565A, 591 and 1209.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT MOVED by the Council of King County:

A. The County Executive is hereby authorized to enter into the attached cable television franchise agreement dated March 23, 1983, (Attachment A) with Group W Cable Inc. which by this reference is hereby incorporated as part of this Motion. Said franchise is granted until March 5, 1992 for cable television franchise number 565A, until March 4, 1993 for cable television franchise number 591 and until May 1, 1993 for cable television franchise number 1209.

B. Group W Cable shall submit within 120 days of execution of the franchise agreement, for approval by the Department of Executive Administration, a comprehensive construction plan for expansion of new service into any non-cabled areas and for the upgrade of the existing Clearview system from 12 channel to 41 channel capacity and a proposed threshold level of homes based on density and/or other appropriate factors for expansion into any non-cabled areas. The approved comprehensive construction plan shall be incorporated as part of this franchise.

C. Attachment B dated April 28, 1983 as submitted by Clearview Cable Television is hereby incorporated as part of the franchise.

D. If within thirty (30) days after the granting of this franchise, the recipient shall have failed to sign the franchise agreement incorporated herein then the agreement shall be forfeited and said franchise shall be null and void.

PASSED this 2nd day of May, 1983

KING COUNTY COUNCIL KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Chairman

ATTEST:

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